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Strange Case.

One of the New York hospitals has a patient—a young athlete—who has normal vision when lying at full length but is blind as a bat when he sits up or stands on his feet. This has been his state for six months or so. The hurt to the eyes that brought him on was received in a game of basketball. The specialists who are trying to remedy the mischief done to his eyes at that time employ a new X-ray process. "This consists," explains a New York paper, "of periodic flashes of the rays—of great intensity—against the retina, instead of the older method of a steady application of the rays for a considerable period of time."

JOHN ARMSTRONG CHANLER.
(Photo by Waldon Fawcett.)



THE MISREPRESENTED MAD MAN OF THE MERRY MILLS.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 9.—With in a few weeks in the little city of Charlottesville, Va., the curtain will go up on another act in the strangest case of the century—the picture fight of John Armstrong Chanler for Chalon, as he now spells his name) to prove his sanity and win back his fortune of a million and a half dollars. This handsome young millionaire—once the pet of the New York "400" and formerly the husband of the brilliant Amelie Rives—already been declared sane by the courts of Virginia, in which state he makes his home, and the courts of North Carolina, in which commonwealth he has extensive property interests.

Thus this triumph already stand to the credit of this descendant of Charlotte, Cordey—victories which assure him his home and his personal liberty, but it is the forthcoming or third legal duel with the bulk of his fortune as the prize, the outcome of which he awaits with all the tension of a Monte Cristo ready to cry "three." For, be it explained, the current proceeding, although their locale is in the one-time home of Thomas Jefferson in the uplands of Virginia, have as an object the establishment of Chanler's sanity in New York state.

It was in New York state, it may be remembered, and not in Virginia, where he had long resided, that the action of the famous Chanler family was declared insane. After proceedings, charged to have been high-handed and certainly sensational, he was thrown into Bloomingdale insane asylum in the spring of 1897, and there he remained until four years later, when he managed to make his escape and returned to Virginia, where he was known and where he had no difficulty in demonstrating his sanity to the satisfaction of the courts.

Ever since his escape Chanler has been fighting at long range to establish his sanity in the Empire state. For two reasons this plucky fight for freedom has been carried on in historic Albemarle county, Virginia, where the present hearings are to take place before the commissioner of the United States federal court. In the first place, Chanler has not dared set foot in New York state on pain of being seized as a lunatic and hauled back to the mad house from which he escaped after so much effort. Secondly, though by right a millionaire he is in effect penniless in so far as his New York status is concerned, for with his imprisonment in Bloomingdale his entire possessions in New York, valued at \$1,500,000, were turned over to a "guardian." In whose possession they have ever since been. Thus denied the use of his wealth Chanler has at all times been compelled to wage his fight with some eye to expense.

The tale to be unfolded by Chanler, told in a manner like a chronicle of the middle ages, involves a number of names conspicuous in the world of affairs. Foremost among these famous actors in the drama was the late Stanford White, who later met a tragic death at the hands of Harry Thaw. White was an old friend of the man whose sanity is now in question and it was the notorious architect who, in the spring of 1897, came to Chanler's Virginia estate on an ostensibly friendly visit; induced the young millionaire to accompany him to New York for a taste of the metropolitan whirl and when he got him there was, it is alleged, largely instrumental in having him committed to the insane asylum.

Startling as will be the disclosures of these hidden chapters in the life of Stanford White—with side lights on certain other famous men, including the late Augustus St. Gaudens, the sculptor, they will be, if possible, exceeded in interest by the baring of the details of what Chanler's story suggests has been a bitter family feud of which Chanler has apparently been the victim. The man who is now fighting to gain recognition of his sanity declares that the entire and combined Chanler family has, all along been arrayed against him and it was because of this attitude on the part of his brothers and sisters that he says he forsook the family name in its present form and secured an act of legislation in the south, which enables him to revert in the spelling of his name to its ancestral form of Chalon.

It is, indeed, a distinguished array of relatives who are to be held up to the public gaze as the alleged enemies of this isolated member of the Chanler clan. In the events that led up to the public eye episode will be heard the names of Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler, lately defeated for governor of New York state, and Winthrop Astor Chanler, who as sheriff of Dutchess county, New York, has been much in the public eye of late as the jailer of Harry Thaw, slayer of that self-same Stanford White, who figures so conspicuously in this tragedy of two states. Parenthetically, it may be remarked, that at half a dozen points of the Chanler-Chalon case there is a touch that other cause celebre—the White-Thaw tragedy. But there have been other Chanlers who have had lesser roles in the story Chanler tells

of this complex drama and among them is the fourth brother, Col. William Astor Chanler, formerly a congressman, and a sister, Mrs. Richard Aldrich, who as Miss Margaret Livingston Chanler was the foremost Red Cross nurse during the Spanish-American war, ven the great aunt of the misrepresnted "mad man," Mrs. William Astor, that absolute ruler of New York's exclusive society, is drawn into the story.

The keynote of the charges that led to Chanler's imprisonment as a lunatic and the charges that will be most emphatically refuted at the coming hearings, concern certain supposed features of Chanler's life at "The Merry Mills," that being the name of his estate near Cobham, Va. The persecuted young millionaire now declares that his brothers who swore that they had seen these odd goings-on at the "Merry Mills" never so much as saw his Virginia property, but his denials have not dissipated the popular belief that an atmosphere of mystery enshrouds the life of Chalon in his plantation in the Old Dominion. It was to probe these vague intangible rumors that the writer recently visited "The Merry Mills."

To sum up the observations of this visit at the outset it may be said that the present-day existence of John Armstrong Chanler at the "Merry Mills" is the typical life—seemingly the ideal life—of a man of the tastes and the temperament, the means and the requisite leisure to enjoy country life in the most perfect environment. This America affords for this form of existence. The geographic and climatic conditions could not well be improved upon. Located in the picturesque Piedmont region, little more than a score of miles from "Pine Knot," the Chanler's home is near the edge of the large eastern cities to insure all conveniences and yet isolated enough to enable restful quiet and seclusion when it is desired.

"The Merry Mills" is distant about two miles from the little station of Cobham on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad. The big yellowed and white-trimmed house, is not as impressive architecturally as many Virginia mansions, but the convenience of its interior arrangement atones for any defects in exterior appearance. The Chanler's house is surrounded by noble trees and is set on an estate of more than 400 acres, has been the home of John Armstrong Chanler ever since he came to the Old Dominion at the behest of Cupid.

It need scarcely be explained that Chanler is not a native Virginian. Like the other members of his family, he is a New Yorker, and the train of events which resulted in his migration to Virginia began twenty-one years ago, when, one August night in 1887, at the Casino ball room in Newport, he met and forthwith fell head over heels in love with Miss Amelia Rives, the beautiful daughter of Colonel Rives of Virginia, former minister to France. Young Chanler's resolutions not to marry until he had reached the age of twenty-five were bowed over in an instant. He followed Miss Rives to her home at Castle Hill, near Cobham, Va., won her hand in marriage, and purchased the neighboring estate, which has ever since been his home.

This estate takes its fantastic name, "The Merry Mills," from an historic old mill located on the edge of the plantation. Mr. Chanler does not at present own this old building, but he has an option on it and declares that if, as expected, he regains possession of his fortune, one of his first acts will be to purchase the mill. He follows tradition, this mill was in the olden days, the rendezvous for all the younger people of the countryside, who gathered to dance on its expansive floor, and such was the reputation of it that it came to be known universally as the "Merry Mill." In fact, this was corrupted to "The Merry Mills," and when Mr. Chanler purchased his present country seat the name caught his fancy and he bestowed it upon his newly acquired holding.

Chanler grew very fond of Virginia country life and its magnetism remained unbroken although his romance with the woman known to fame as the authoress of "The Quick and the Dead" did not have the traditional "happy ever after" sequel. After about eight years of wedded life, Chanler and his Virginia bride agreed upon a divorce upon the ground of incompatibility of temper. In the eyes of some persons an evidence of Chanler's supposed eccentricity is found in the circumstance that he has been able to continue on terms of amicable friendship with his former wife, now the Princess Troubetzkoy, who, with her husband, spent a portion of the past summer amidst the scenes of her girlhood.

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We want to buy a few dozen pure bred Rhode Island Reds and White Plymouth Rocks, pullets and cockerels. Barrows Commission Co., 2274 Wash. 1-7-14

pose of all his property during his imprisonment in Bloomingdale.

The domestic arrangements at "The Merry Mills" are largely in the hands of George, a faithful colored man, who combines the functions of valet, chef and butler. Five farm hands, who occupy nearby tenant houses, complete the staff, as has been pictured in some instances, it must be admitted that he is in reduced circumstances as a result of the happenings of a dozen years ago. It is hard, for instance, for a man who is as fond of thoroughbred race as this Virginia country squire, to content himself with a couple of horses, when a near neighbor has 125 head. However, if Chanler recovers possession of his fortune of \$1,500,000 and an additional \$250,000 of accrued income, there will be a wonderful transformation at "The Merry Mills."

Almost every room in the Merry Mills mansion betokens the literary tastes of its master. The walls of the large library which opens to the right of the hall are lined with well-filled bookshelves and the overflow of books and magazines and manuscript extends to the billiard room at the rear of the house. On the left of the hall is the dining room, a stately apartment with a wealth of old mahogany and a voice an actor might envy, there is not in his manner or in his conversation—the latter showing a wide knowledge of currents events and a keen interest in the world's affairs—to justify the most feeblest suspicion of irrationality. A stranger meeting him for the first time is instantly struck by his remarkable resemblance, full face, to Napoleon Bonaparte. It was this facial resemblance, by the way, that cost Chanler four years of misery in Bloomingdale. Always a student of the occult, he, on one occasion, entertained a number of his friends with a scientific experiment in which Chanler, in effect entering a trance, sought to have his face resemble the death mask of Napoleon.

White, who was present, then Chanler constituted himself the busybody of this celebrated case and immediately took step to put his friend in the power of the New York alienists.

Chanler, today, lives much in the open. His home in a climate where the air is mild but bracing, and the winters short and lacking in severity, affords a continual invitation to outdoor athletics. Daily he goes for a long gallop on a handsome seven-year-old sorrel mare, significantly named "Red dress," and during the warm months a favorite playground is the magnificent swimming pool which he has had constructed on the estate—a mirror-like body of water one hundred feet in length, fringed with trees, and the shore of which Chanler has already chosen as his last resting place.

The mysterious millionaire of "The Merry Mills," whose pursuits are, for the most part, those of an author and a lawyer, finds, like many another brain worker, that he accomplishes most in the solitude of the night. Unlike Alexander Graham Bell, the famous inventor of the telephone, his office hours are from 10 p. m. until 3

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BOARD AND ROOM—449 26th street. 1 11 U

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a. m., after which latter hour he retires and sleeps until 11 o'clock in the morning. Like Mark Twain, John Armstrong Chanler does most of his literary work in a reclining position. This compulsory habit is another heritage of those dreary days in the mad house.

More Microbe Scars. Now we hear that the sand of the seashore has microbes, and the darlings of the squeamish mothers will no longer be allowed to play there, which may be good news for the other children. One would think the tide might make it pure enough, but no doubt there is a difference of opinion on the subject.

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NICE lot on 26th street, above Monroe avenue. Cheap. Nice lot on Madison Ave., near 23rd St. Mrs. Blair, phone Ind. 3671-A. 1 11 U

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FOR SALE—Mountains Springs Ice Co. place with facilities for ice raising and cold storage; 12-room brick residence, fine lawn and shrubbery; fruit and shade trees; splendid valley view. Enquire of G. J. Grimm, at premises, 2129 21st. 5 24 U

ON 21st street bet. Wash. and Grant, 12-room house, lot 55x16 ft., great garage; 1-2 cash, balance on time. Call at room 1, Lincoln Hotel. 10 6 U

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